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Spare Ribs, Tenderloins, Bulk Oysters  
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People's Cash Meat Market, 117 N. Howard st.

# AKRON DAILY DEMOCRAT.

Baers' Lancaster  
Almanac for 1900  
HAS ARRIVED AT  
Steinbacher's, 104 E. Market st.

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AKRON, OHIO, WEDNESDAY EVENING, NOVEMBER 29, 1899.

PRICE ONE CENT

## JURY

### Will Hear the Case

Against Councilman  
Shumway, Dec. 7.

Judge Anderson Overruled  
Motion to Quash.

James McKnight Contests His  
Father's Will.

Verdict For Plaintiff Rendered—  
Court News.

The case against Councilman  
Dwight Shumway of Cuyahoga  
Falls, for alleged misconduct in of-  
fice, was begun in Probate court  
Wednesday.

The first act was of short duration.  
Mr. Shumway's attorneys filed a  
motion to quash the proceedings.  
They argued that the citation was  
incomplete in that it did not state  
that the village of Cuyahoga Falls  
was a municipal corporation in the  
State of Ohio.

Judge Anderson overruled the mo-  
tion and continued the case until  
December 7. The case will then be  
heard before a jury.

Wants Will Set Aside.

James McKnight has commenced  
proceeding in Common Pleas court  
asking that the will of his father,  
Francis McKnight, be set aside. The  
petition alleges that the decedent  
was not of sound mind, and men-  
tally incapacitated. The plaintiff also  
claims that undue influence was used  
over the late Francis McKnight, and  
that the latter was deluded into be-  
lieving that the plaintiff had already  
been advanced the sum of \$1,500.

Action Revived.

An amended petition has been filed  
reviving action of Andrew Greeley  
vs. James McGowan. The plaintiff  
is deceased and Bridget Greeley, ad-  
ministratrix, renews proceeding.

The case of the Shelby Steel Tube  
company vs. H. B. Camp to quit  
title, has been settled by default.  
The defendant did not appear and an

THOSE

## Chamber Suits

Just received are extra  
choice values.  
Bought in July before the  
advance, we are able to sell  
them 15 to 20 per cent. less  
than if bought now.  
We are situated the same  
in regard to

Sideboards  
Dining Tables  
And Dining Chairs

BURDETTE L.  
**DODGE,**  
Seller of Everything to Fur-  
nish a House,  
**Howard St.**

absolute title was given the plaintiff.  
Verdict For Plaintiff.

In the case of Maggie Meier vs.  
The Phoenix Insurance company, a  
verdict for \$515 was given the plain-  
tiff. Defendants gave notice of mo-  
tion for a new trial.

Two Cases Settled.  
The cases in which the plaintiff  
was H. G. Griffin and James C.  
White, defendant, have been set-  
tled.

Marriage Licenses.  
Harvey E. Snyder, Akron.....\$4  
Ada Thomas, Akron.....28  
Bert C. Larkin, Akron.....27  
Lena Roth, Akron.....21  
Care R. Bradfield, Akron.....22  
Estella B. Hardy, Akron.....20  
Charles W. Prior, Akron.....21  
Carrie B. Van Sickle, Cuy. Falls.....21

## A REVIVAL

That Revives, at First  
Church of Christ.

Mothers' Meeting Tonight—Old Songs  
to Old Times.

The special gospel meetings, con-  
ducted by Chas. Reign Scoville and  
F. C. Huston, are drawing immense  
crowds, and last night there were  
seven pastors present, including the  
pastor at Hudson and five of his  
members, and Rev. F. W. Green  
from Kent.

The Mothers' meeting tonight  
promises to be the best of the series,  
so far. This meeting will be a grate-  
fulson's gift to his mother. Let all  
the mothers of the city hear the  
evangelist speak on "God's Love and  
Mother's Love", no sweeter, grander  
theme on earth. Fathers, mothers,  
sons and daughters, all free. Prof.  
Huston will sing a solo entitled:  
"Nobody Knows but Mother" and  
also assist in a duet entitled "Some-  
body's Boy is Homeless Tonight".  
The chorus choir will sing old songs  
to old tunes. Come and bring your  
mother or memories of her.

Evangelists Scoville and Huston  
have had 1,100 accessions to the  
church in six months this year.

Thanksgiving at Postoffice.  
Thursday, Thanksgiving day being  
a legal holiday, the following sched-  
ule will be observed at the postoffice:  
Carriers will make one delivery over  
the morning district only, leaving  
the office at 7 and 7:30 a.m., the  
postoffice will be closed for the day  
at 10:30 a.m. All afternoon and eve-  
ning mails will be closed at 4 p.m.  
No money order business will be  
transacted.

L. S. EBRIGHT, P. M.

## BIRTHS.

ADRON—November 26, to Mr. and  
Mrs. A. Adron, 622 Allyn street, a  
daughter.

WHITE—November 25, to Mr. and  
Mrs. Will S. White, 803 Fourth ave.,  
a son.

## DEMOCRATS

### Will Honor Jackson.

Decided to Have a Banquet  
January 8.

Prominent Speakers Will  
be Here.

Committee Appointed to Make  
Arrangements.

Club Will Meet at City Hall Wednes-  
day Evening.

The Akron Democratic club de-  
cided last night to give a banquet on  
Jackson Day—Monday evening,  
January 8.

A committee consisting of Messrs.  
A. C. Bachtel, Chas. H. Isbell, Jas.  
A. Hallinan, Geo. Cummins, Dr. C.  
W. Millikin, E. S. Harter and John  
McBride was appointed to make pre-  
liminary arrangements.

The Committee will report at a  
meeting of the Club to be held at the  
City Hall next Wednesday night.

Several prominent speakers from  
out of the city will respond to toasts  
at the banquet, in addition to local  
talent.

The price per plate will be kept  
within the reach of all. The ban-  
quet will be held at one of the local  
hotels.

## BURGLARIZED

Was the Residence of  
Robert Woodley.

And P. P. Cherry Claims His Horse  
Was Stolen.

Robert Woodley, a blacksmith re-  
siding at 188 Ash street, reported to  
the police that his house was bur-  
glarized Tuesday night. Twenty dol-  
lars in money was taken, with a  
lady's fur cape and a bottle of sooth-  
ing syrup. No clue.

P. P. Cherry, of 229 Coburn street,  
secretary of the Akron Retail Groc-  
ery association, reports that his horse and buggy were stolen Tuesday  
afternoon. The horse was tethered  
to a hitching-post on South Howard  
st., near Mill, and the thief boldly  
got in and drove away. He is not  
known; neither is the direction in  
which he went. Mr. Cherry says the  
outfit was worth \$100. The horse is  
seven years old, a sorrel and weighs  
1050 pounds. In the buggy were a  
robe, a pair of gloves and several  
other small articles.

## WM. H. DIEHL

Returns Home From Alaskan Gold  
Fields.

After a stay of two years in the  
vicinity of Andrielle City, Cape  
Nome, along the Behring sea coast,  
Alaska, Wm. H. Diehl, whose fam-  
ily resides in 106 Oakdale av., re-  
turned home Tuesday night.

He says that part of the country in  
which he located is the best gold ter-  
ritory in Alaska, far surpassing the  
diggings of the Klondike and Yukon  
districts. Mr. Diehl has prospered  
well in his enterprise and says that  
his prospects for securing a claim  
are good. He likes the country  
fairly well and may return in the  
spring.

For many years Mr. Diehl was en-  
gaged in the carpet business in Ak-  
ron.

## Horses Still in Service.

The new automobile got out of gear  
on the East Buchtel ave. hill, near  
Broadway, and a team of horses had  
to draw it back to the patrol station.

## THE WEATHER:

Local showers tonight and Thurs-  
day; cooler Thursday.

## FASIG

Goes to Workhouse Along  
With Snyder.

Three Young Boys Get Heavy  
Fines.

Both Reilly Snyder and Daniel  
Fasig, accused of petit larceny, ad-  
mitted their guilt to Prisonkeeper  
Washer. Snyder was given \$10 and  
costs and 30 days to the works. Mon-  
day morning by Mayor Young. Fasig  
was implicated in the charge against  
Snyder—that of stealing vegetables  
from C. E. Minton, of W. Exchange  
st., Saturday night. In court Tues-  
day morning, he pleaded not guilty.  
Meanwhile, Officer George W. Veon,  
who made the arrests in both cases,  
found out that Fasig had stolen four  
gallons of maple syrup from the  
Clark Grocery company, 138 North  
Howard st., Saturday night, and this  
charge was presented against the  
defendant, who, on Wednesday  
morning was given a sentence simi-  
lar to that imposed on Snyder. Both  
will be taken to the workhouse to-  
gether. Officers say Snyder and  
Fasig are the worst petty thieves in  
this city.

On Saturday night E. Rhodes, Ar-  
thur Brannon and Oscar Moon as-  
saulted Conrad Shetz, one of the as-  
saultants hitting him on the head  
with a brick. The defendants were  
each fined \$10 and costs.

Case of assault and battery against  
Chas. Oberlin continued to Friday  
morning.

Harry Herbruck, intoxication, \$2  
and costs; Joan O'Neil, vagrancy,  
dismissed.

Attorney S. G. Rogers filed an af-  
fidavit in the Mayor's court Wednes-  
day morning against a conductor in  
the B. & O. railroad service—defen-  
dant's name not known, accusing him  
of obstructing the Center st. crossing  
with a train for half an hour Tues-  
day morning.

Ella J. Knox filed an affidavit  
Wednesday morning against Harry  
Clark, accusing him of obtaining  
boarding under false pretense. He  
incorrectly claimed money was due  
him from the Goodrich Rubber Co.

## Promoted.

First Sergeant Ora F. Wise of Co.  
F has been elected and commis-  
sioned as Second Lieutenant of Co.  
F, to rank from November 6. The  
Lieutenancy was made vacant by the  
promotion of Second Lieutenant J.  
B. Caldwell to Chief of the Signal  
Office of the Eighth regiment.

## COL. DICK

Will be Major General of  
the National Guard.

Nominated by Acclamation at Colum-  
bus—Other Nominations.

After December 6, when the Ohio  
National Guard will vote for a Major  
General and two Brigadier Generals  
Col. Chas. Dick will have the title of  
Major General Dick.

By an adroit flank movement at  
Columbus yesterday, Col. Dick  
was nominated by acclamation for  
this high office, disappointing the  
hopes of Adjt. Gen. Axline, who had  
considered himself slated for the  
honor.

The convention also nominated  
Col. W. V. McMakin of the Sixth  
Regiment, for Brigadier General of  
the First Brigade and Col. C. X.  
Zimmerman of the Fifth and Col.  
John C. Sparks of the Fourth Regi-  
ment for Brigadier General of the  
Second Brigade.

The election will take place next  
Tuesday in all the armories through-  
out the state.

## CONSENT.

A Bridegroom Sent Ten  
Miles to Obtain It.

That Bride Had Been Previously  
Married Didn't Count.

Among the numerous applications  
for Thanksgiving marriage licenses  
at the Probate office Wednesday a  
peculiar case revealed itself.

Samuel Meyer, aged 25, of Portage  
township, wanted a license to wed  
Mrs. Addie Powell. He gave the age  
of the bride as 17 years. Then the  
trouble began.

Deputy Clerk Whittemore de-  
manded evidence to show that the  
young lady's father was not opposed  
to the marriage. The groom to be  
was not prepared for this move. Af-  
ter some discussion he left the court  
house for a ten mile drive in search  
of the girl's paternal parent.

Deputy Whittemore was informed  
that Mrs. Powell is the widow of the  
young man who was shot and killed  
by his brother, Arthur Powell, at  
Akron, last spring.

This previous marriage and the  
fact that the bride-to-be is the moth-  
er of two children did not prevent  
the court from carrying out the law  
to the last letter.

## NOW

### A Closed Incident.

Disappearance of a Town-  
line Farm Hand

May be Last Chapter In  
the Story

Of the Anonymous Letter  
Writing.

More Information Received by Detec-  
tive Burlison.

County Detective Burlison was no-  
tified this morning that Ben Ellison,  
a young farm hand employed by Mr.  
David Lewis of Townline, Northfield  
township, has been missing for sev-  
eral days.

The Detective believes this unex-  
pected leavetaking by Ellison has  
caused the receipt of threatening  
anonymous letters by Mr. G. E. Rob-  
erts of Northfield and Miss Sadie  
Smith, now Mrs. Roberts, to be  
what the diplomats call "a closed  
incident."

It will be remembered that when  
the letters were being received two  
weeks ago, Detective Burlison was  
called to Northfield to find out who  
the writer was. He suspected Elli-  
son, questioned him closely, and was  
satisfied from the young man's an-  
swers and the circumstances sur-  
rounding the case that Ellison was  
implicated in the letter writing.

Prosecutor Wansamaker was in-  
formed of the circumstances and now  
has the threatening letters in his  
possession. He advised against an  
arrest, believing it a proper case for  
the postal authorities to go into.  
Postmaster Ebricht was notified  
that the letters would be turned over  
to him.

Now comes the information that  
Ellison has fled, leaving a part of  
his clothes and other belongings be-  
hind. Detective Burlison is informed  
that Ellison is about 28 years of age,  
unmarried, and had resided in North-  
field about six months.

## Grand Lot Sale Advertisement.

See adv. on 7th page today about  
grand lot sale and free excursion on  
Rapid Transit Electric Ry. to beau-  
tiful Lakeside park allotment;  
Thanksgiving day, Nov. 30th.

## PERSONALS.

Miss Lillie Mangold of 105 Erie st.,  
was tendered a surprise at her home  
Monday evening. The occasion was  
her thirteenth birthday, and 25 of  
her friends were present. The eve-  
ning was pleasantly spent and the  
happy people played various games.  
A number of presents were left with  
the youthful hostess. Supper was  
served.

Members of the Ava Lente society,  
a young woman's club, met with  
Miss Ida M. Orr, at the home of her  
parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. A. Orr,  
106 Jackson st., Monday evening,  
and enjoyed a pleasant social. The  
evening was spent in sewing and ex-  
ecuting fancy work. Refreshments  
were served at 9.

The Episcopalian club will give its  
second dancing party of the season  
in XXth Century hall, on Friday,  
Dec. 15. Light lunch and refresh-  
ments will be served.

Miss May Finch of Garrettsville,  
is the guest of her brother, Dr. F. F.  
Finch, 606 1/2 W. Market st.

John McKetrick, of 111 Grant st.,  
a conductor in the Erie freight  
yards, has resigned his position. He  
intends to go to Canada.

James Griffey of Youngstown, for-  
merly with J. Kock & Co., has  
opened a clothing store in Evans-  
ville, Ind.

Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Steigner of Lake  
st., are visiting in Indiana and Mich-  
igan.

Joseph S. Fleisher was in Clevel-  
and yesterday.

The funeral of Jacob Werna, 177  
W. South st., will be held Thursday  
at 8 o'clock at St. Bernard's church.  
Harlan Sperry of Middlefield, O.,  
who graduated from Buchtel college  
last June is the guest of friends in  
the city.

## P. H. PHINNEY & CO.

Will Open Their New Store at

114 South Main St.

## SATURDAY, DEC. 2

With the most complete line of Foot-  
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No. 114 South Main st.

## CHARACTERS

In Play to be Given at  
Jewish Temple

On Evening of December 3—  
Splendid Program.

The scenic play representing the  
feast of Chanuka in celebration of  
the victory of Judas Maccabeus and  
the re-dedication of the temple at  
Jerusalem, to be given by Sunday  
school pupils of the Reformed He-  
brew congregation at the Jewish  
temple on the evening of December  
3, will be an elaborate affair. It will  
be presented by children whose age  
will not be over 14 years, and they  
are being well drilled. The cast of  
characters is as follows:

Antiochus, King of Syria, Chas.  
Wachner; Judas Maccabeus, Jacob  
Hirshkowitz; Nicanor, a Syrian  
general, Leo Tuholsky; Jason,  
an apostate, Henry Furst;  
Eleazar, high priest, Samuel Cohen;  
Jonathan Maccabeus, Jay Loeb;  
Simon, the herald, Jacob Wachner;  
Sons of Hannah—Samuel, Katie  
Spielberger; Pinchas, Joy Loeb;  
Adaleyan, Esther Greenwood;  
Adoniran, Selma Rosenfeld; Naph-  
tali, Fannie Friedman; Joseph, Har-  
ry Ferberstein; Benjamin, Florence  
Hirsch; Hannah, a Jewish mother,  
Fannie Ferberstein; Mirzah, a Syrian  
maiden, Esther Hirshkowitz; De-  
borah, her nurse, Fannie Wachner.  
Jewish and Syrian soldiers, guards,  
dancers and priests will also figure  
conspicuously.

## ILLNESS

Of Mrs. Philo Necessitates Change in  
Union Service Program.

Rabbi I. E. Philo, on account of  
Mrs. Philo's being ill, will be unable  
to deliver the sermon on Thanksgiving  
day at union services at the  
First Congregational church. Rev.  
A. B. Church, pastor of the congre-  
gation will deliver the sermon.  
Friday evening, at the Jewish  
temple, Mr. Philo will preach a ser-  
mon appropriate to the feast of  
Chanuka. The subject will be "The  
Old Lamp: the New Light."

## Coming In Lively.

Census Supervisor H. A. Kasson  
in the last few days has received  
about 150 applications for appoint-  
ments. He will appoint a deputy  
enumerator for every precinct in  
this district.

## Thanksgiving Matinee Dance

From 2 to 5 p.m., given by the K. O.  
T. M. Dancing Academy in Schu-  
macher Hall, South Main St. Good  
music by Morey's orchestra.

## Masquerade Ball and Trolley Party

In K. of P. Hall, Kent, Thanksgiv-  
ing night. Price \$1.00 per couple,  
including car fare; 75c single ticket.  
Morey's orchestra.

## Militant Dancing Academy

## Notice

The hall being rented to the B. of  
R. T. for next Wednesday evening,  
the Advance Class of the school will  
be postponed to Thursday evening,  
Thanksgiving. All patrons and  
friends of the school are invited.  
Admission 75c per couple. Advance  
tickets good on this occasion.  
Dancing 8 to 12.

## At the Grand.

Judging from the advance sale of  
seats, the popular comedy, "Don't  
Tell My Wife," will have big houses  
at both the matinee and evening  
performances tomorrow. The play  
is well staged, humorous and ex-  
ceptionally well presented.

A great many people are of the  
erroneous opinion that all colored  
shows are alike and of an inferior  
grade. After having once seen "A  
Hot Old Time in Dixie," which ap-  
pears at the Grand Friday night,  
they will experience a decided  
change of opinion in that respect.  
This is a brand new and original  
farce comedy, owned by Messrs.  
Tom McIntosh and Gusie L. Davis.  
Mr. McIntosh takes the leading part  
and is admitted to be the best col-  
ored comedian of the day. The play is  
bright, and the music, most of which  
is new and written for this piece by  
Mr. Davis.

David Higgins great southern play  
"At Piny Ridge," will be the at-  
traction at the Grand Saturday mat-  
inee and evening. On its initiative  
introduction in this city, it made a  
most favorable impression and re-  
ceived the unanimous praise of both  
press and public. The elements of  
naturalness and truth to the actual  
conditions of the locality in which  
the action of this play is laid, are  
not the least of its claims for atten-  
tion and consideration.

## Barberton Clerks Organize.

The Akron Clerks union have or-  
ganized a Clerks union at Barberton  
with 22 members. The officers fol-  
low: President, A. E. Schneider;  
vice president, J. C. Hoagland; cor-  
responding secretary, Miss Oga  
Boden; financial secretary, F. Buck-  
master; treasurer, Fred Kelly;  
guide, M. Schloss; sergeant-at-arms,  
Chas. Trumpler.

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## HAIR



## HELP

So many  
persons  
have hair  
that is  
stubborn  
and dull.  
It won't  
grow.  
What's  
the reason? Hair  
needs help just as  
anything else does at  
times. The roots re-  
quire feeding. When  
hair stops growing it  
loses  
its lus-  
ter. It  
looks  
dead.

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If you do not obtain all the benefits  
you expect from the use of the Hair  
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